

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C.

SCHEDULE 13G

UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

(AMENDMENT NO.1)*

ORBOTECH LTD

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock

(Title of Class of Securities)

M75253100

(CUSIP NUMBER)

Check the following box if a fee is being paid with this statement (). (A fee is not required only if the filing person: (1) has a previous statement on file reporting beneficial ownership of more than five percent of the class of securities described in Item 1; and (2) has filed no amendment subsequent thereto reporting beneficial ownership of five percent or less of such class.) (See Rule 13d-7).

* The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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CUSIP NO. M75253100

1. NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF
ABOVE PERSON

George D. Bjurman & Associates

IRS Identification No. 95-2654860

2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER
OF A GROUP

(a) _____
(b)

3. SEC USE ONLY

4. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
California

5. SOLE VOTING POWER
302,790

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH

6. SHARED VOTING POWER
-0-

7. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
302,790

8. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
-0-

9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
302,790

10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
N/A

11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9
6.077%

12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON
IA

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CUSIP NO. M75253100

1. NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

George Andrew Bjurman*
548-72-9457

2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(a) _____
(b)

3. SEC USE ONLY

4. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
U.S.A.

5. SOLE VOTING POWER
302,790

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH

6. SHARED VOTING POWER
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7. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
302,790

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-0-

9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW
(9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
N/A

11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT
IN ROW 9
6.077%

12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON
IN

* The filing of this statement shall not be deemed an admission by George Andrew Bjurman that he beneficially owns the securities attributed to George D. Bjurman Associates for any purpose.

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CUSIP NO. M75253100

1. NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF
ABOVE PERSON

Owen Thomas Barry III*
480-54-0059

2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER
OF A GROUP
(a) _____
(b) X _____

3. SEC USE ONLY

4. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
U.S.A.

5. SOLE VOTING POWER
302,790

NUMBER OF SHARES
BENEFICIALLY
OWNED BY EACH REPORTING
PERSON WITH

6. SHARED VOTING POWER
-0-

7. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
302,790

8. SHARED DISPOSITIVE
POWER
-0-

9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY
EACH REPORTING PERSON
302,790

10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW
(9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
N/A

11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT
IN ROW 9
6.077%

12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON
IN

* The filing of this statement shall not be deemed an admission by Owen Thomas Barry III that he beneficially owns the securities attributed to George D. Bjurman Associates for any purpose.

Item 1.

- (a) Name of Issuer:
ORBOTECH LTD
- (b) Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:
ORBOT PARK
P.O. BOX 215
YAVINE ISRAEL 7065
L3

Item 2.

- (a) Name of Persons Filing:
George D. Bjurman Associates
("GDBA"),
George Andrew Bjurman* and
Owen Thomas Barry III*.
*These individuals may,
as a result of their ownership
in and positions with GDBA, be
deemed to be indirect
beneficial owners of the equity
securities held by GDBA. The
filing of this statement shall
not be deemed an admission by
George Andrew Bjurman and Owen
Thomas Barry that either person
beneficially owns the
securities attributed to GDBA
for any purpose, regardless of
whether they are acting in
concert or acting severally.
- (b) Address of Principal Business Office or, if none, Residence:

The business address for
GDBA and Messrs. Bjurman and
Barry is 10100 Santa Monica
Boulevard, Suite 1200, Los
Angeles, CA 90067.
- (c) Citizenship:

GDBA is a corporation
organized under the laws of
California. Messrs. Bjurman
and Barry are United States
citizens.
- (d) Title of Class of Securities:

Common Stock
- (e) CUSIP Number:

M75253100

- Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant to Rule 13d-1(b), or 13d-2(b), check whether the person filing is a:

GDBA is an Investment Adviser registered under section 203 of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940.

Item 4. Ownership.

(a) Amount Beneficially Owned:

As of December 31, 1997, GDBA beneficially owned 302,790 shares. *Messrs. Bjurman and Barry III may, as a result of their ownership in and positions with GDBA, be deemed to be indirect beneficial owners of the equity securities held by GDBA.

(b) Percent of Class:

6.077%

(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

(i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote:
302,790**

(ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote:
-0-

(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:
302,790**

(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:
-0-

**GDBA, as an investment adviser, shares such powers only to the extent that its clients may be able to give instructions that would supersede GDBA's otherwise full discretionary authority over the disposition or voting of the securities in its portfolios.

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class.

Not Applicable

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.

Not Applicable

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company.

Not Applicable

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.

Not Applicable

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.

Not Applicable

Item 10. Certification and Signature.

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired for the purpose of and do not have the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of such securities and were not acquired in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having such purposes or effect.

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

4/01/98

Date

/s/ George Andrew Bjurman

Signature

George Andrew Bjurman
CEO & President, GDBA

Name/Title

/s/ George Andrew Bjurman

George Andrew Bjurman

/s/ Owen Thomas Barry III

Owen Thomas Barry III